

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF OKLAHOMA**

CHRIS MAREK,

Petitioner,

v.

C. RANKINS,

Respondent.

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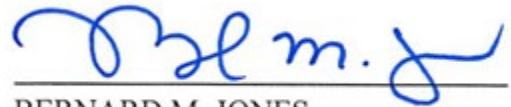
Case No. CIV-24-1076-J

ORDER

Petitioner filed a Petition for Writ of Habeas Corpus [Doc. No. 1] and a motion to proceed in forma pauperis [Doc. No. 2]. The matter was referred to United States Magistrate Judge Suzanne Mitchell who entered a Report and Recommendation recommending the Court deny Petitioner's motion to proceed in forma pauperis and require Petitioner to pay the full \$5.00 filing fee. [Doc. No. 5]. Thereafter, Petitioner paid the \$5.00 filing fee. [Doc. No. 6].

The Court ADOPTS the Report and Recommendation [Doc. No. 5] and DENIES Petitioner's motion to proceed in forma pauperis [Doc. No. 2]. Additionally, since Petitioner has paid the \$5.00 filing fee, the Court rerefers this matter to Magistrate Judge Mitchell for proceedings as outlined in the Court's earlier referral. [Doc. No. 4].

IT IS SO ORDERED this 5th day of November, 2024.



BERNARD M. JONES
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE